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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD



In the Matter of Registration No. 2,280,179
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Foot And Ankle Clinics Of America, Inc., }
Petitioner, }

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Cancellation No. 92042238

Foot & Ankle Centers of America, Inc., Respondent.

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Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks 2900 Crystal Drive Arlington, Virginia 22202-3513

Stipulated Request for Extension of Time to Answer Petition for Cancellation

Respondent, Foot & Ankle Centers of America, Inc., hereby requests an extension of Thirty (30) days to September 25, 2003, in which to answer the opposition filed herein or to otherwise plead, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 2.106(b)(2)(iv). Pursuant to this request, Respondent's answer will be due September 25, 2003.

This extension is required to enable Respondent to further investigate and prepare an answer to this Petition for Cancellation. This request is not made for the purpose of delay, and will not prejudice either party.

This Request is made with the consent of Petitioner's counsel, Craig S. Fochler, which consent was given by him during a telephone conference on August 18, 2003.

Respectfully submitted

Foot & Ankle Centers of America, Inc.

Dated: August 18, 2003

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing Stipulated Request for Extension of Time to Answer Petition for Cancellation has been served upon the attorney for Petitioner on August 18, 2003, by depositing same in the United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed as follows:

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